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In re Application of)
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David MACK) Group Art Unit: 1634
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Serial No. 09/836,278) Examiner: Arthur, Lisa Bennett
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Filed: April 18, 2001) Atty. Docket No. 03848.00065
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For: EXPRESSION MONITORING FOR GENE FUNCTION IDENTIFICATION

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Respectfully submitted,

BANNER & WITCOFF, LTD.

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3		149	740
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid		179	740
109	84	209	42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent		169	900
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